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**REQUEST
FOR
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Application Number	10/016,100
Filing Date	12/10/2001
First Named Inventor	Prathima Agrawal
Art Unit	2666
Examiner Name	ABELSON, Ronald B.
Attorney Docket Number	APP 1409

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

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a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
ii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

i. Amendment/Reply iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. Other Petition for Extension of Time

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
b. Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

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iii. Other Attached - Fee Transmittal FY 2006

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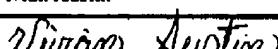
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Name (Print / Type)	<u>Joseph Giordano</u>	Registration No. (Attorney / Agent)	<u>35158</u>
Signature			
Date	<u>September 11, 2006</u>		

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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2006

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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\$790.00

Complete If Known

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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small Entity

Fee (\$)

Fee (\$)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

50

25

Multiple dependent claims

200

100

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
4	- 20 or HP =	x \$50.00	= \$0.00

Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
1	- 3 or HP =	x \$200.00	= \$0.00

Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
200	100

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

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Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
250	125

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): RCE Fee 1.17(e)

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